



Quilt-A-Gram



Margaret E. Muegenburg, Editor

BOONESLICK TRAIL QUILTERS' GUILD



Starlight Piecemakers

Saturday, June 6 will be BTQG's Annual Meeting. Sharon Lawler has been diligently working on presenting an exceptional program. I will be out of town, but do hope the majority of the guild will be able to participate.

Dawn Heese will be the new Starlight President and I know all of you will be excited to have her preside over the meetings. She has many talents and I know she will be openly supported by our guild.

Enjoy your summer, whatever adventure you embark on, Mindy and I thank you all for your support throughout this past year.

My last expert tip from American Patchwork & Quilting: *"Finish your projects while you are still excited about them."* ~ Mabeth Oxenreider ~

Oh, how I wish I could really follow that tip!

Sally Russell
Starlight Chapter President



Day Chapter

The Day Chapter guild meetings this year have been a collection of trunk shows, an introduction to modern quilts, paper piecing techniques, and the wide variety of quilts presented to us by various guests.

I am always amazed at the beautiful, unique fabrics and patterns chosen by you as you continue on your quilting journey. Show and Tell truly highlights the tremendous expertise so many of us have. I know your enthusiasm for quilts continues to amaze me.

As always, the Sit n Sew continues to provide quilting fellowship along with the proverbial quilter instructions we receive from our quilting buddies.

Your continued support by helping with the quilt show, as a guild officer, and your presence at the meetings brings much joy to many!

Daily we are drawn to complete our UFOs and to begin a new project as we provide support for the Day Chapter through your participation.

Louise Bequette,
Day Chapter President



Notice of the Annual Meeting for the Booneslick Trail Quilters' Guild

Saturday, June 6, 2015 9:00 am
Fairview United Methodist Church
3200 Chapel Hill Road Columbia Missouri

Thank you for participating in the BTQG's Annual Meeting. In doing so, you have a voice in your quilt guild. The doors will open at 8:30 am and the meeting, speaker and luncheon should finish by 1:00 pm. See page 4 for the agenda, page 7 for the ballot and for the 2015-2016 Board of Directors, and page 8 for the 2015-2016 budg-



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2014-2015 BTQG Board of Directors

Elected Officers:

CEO	Martha Eberhard	573-356-0311
Vice CEO	Bettina Havig	573-449-1602
Secretary	Nancy Antonio	573-823-9579
Treasurer	Maria DeLamatre	573-289-4226
Past CEO	Sharon Lawler	573-696-0102
Day Chapter President	Louise Bequette	660-263-9221
Starlight Chapter President	Sally Russell	573-443-5479

Appointed Chairs:

Day Chapter Program Chair	Louise Bequette	660-263-9221
Starlight Program Chair	Mindy Smith	573-874-1308
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Hospitality		
Retreat	Anna Mary Hughes Sandy Womack	660-288-3225 573-808-5007
Quilt Show	Donna Puleo Mary Pilkenton	573-446-1077 573-442-2416

Upcoming Quilt Events

June 19-21 Overland Park Convention Center
2015 Kansas City Regional Quilt Festival

June 18—20
Unique Stitchers 'N' More Quilt Show
Stover Community Center Stover, Missouri

Sunday, Sept. 20 and Monday, Sept. 21
Bonnie Hunter Trunk Show and Workshops
Martin Community Center, Marshall, Missouri.
Check the website at stitchbystitchquilters.org.



TREASURER'S REPORT

Submitted by
Maria DeLamatre
As of March 30, 2015

Checking Acct. Balance	\$15,534.79
Money Market Account	1,033.91
CDs (2)	10,855.50
Total Combine Balance	\$27,424.20
Number of Members 4/13/2015	163
Fiscal Year Beginning Balance	\$ 8,955.19
FYTD Income	27,262.70
FYTD Expenses	20,683.10
Checking Acct Bal As of 4/30/15	\$15,534.79

BTQG Board May Motions

1. Motion made that the proposed wording for bylaw changes be printed in the June newsletter for voting during the annual meeting.
2. Motion made that the social media chairperson(s) will be a special ad hoc position that maintains our web site, Facebook page and sends e-blasts. They are encouraged and but not required to attend board meetings. They will communicate with the CEO regularly. Motion passed.

Member Address Change

Eddie Brennan
1408 Bs. Loop 70W Apt. E-301
Columbia, MO 65202



Newsletter deadline is the Wednesday after the Executive Board Meeting at 6:30 pm, of each month.
E-mail items to: maggiemueg@aol.com or 573-234-7313

June



2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 NO chapter meeting!!! Attend annual meeting	2	3 Small Wonders, 1 pm. DBRL	4 NO chapter meeting!!! Attend annual meeting	5	6 <i>Annual Meeting Fairview Methodist Church, 9 am.</i>
7	8 <i>Board of Directors' meeting,</i> 6 p.m. DBRL Conference room	9	10 Newsletter deadline, 5 pm maggiemueg@aol.com	11 Sassy Stitchers 9:30-11:30 DBRL.	12	13
14	15 EZ2B Stitchers, 1 pm At Quilt 4U	16 <i>Bonne Femme book group</i> 1-3 pm DBRL Modern Quilt, 6:30 pm, DBRL	17	18 English Paper Piecing, Community room at Kay Shoner's 3850 Bethel	19	20
21	22	23	24 Basic Quilting 9-12, call for location	25 Redwork, 9 a.m	26	27
28	29	30				



****Mystery Quilt participants will receive installments via email.

Contacts: Day chapter, Louise Bequette, 660-263-9221/ Starlight chapter, Sally Russell, 573-443-5479/ Board of Directors, Martha Eberhard, 573-356-0311/ Newsletter, Margaret Muegenburg, 573-234-7313/ Bonne Femme book group, Bettina Havig, 449-1602/ Small Wonders, Karon Huggler, 443-7410/ Sassy Stitchers, Donna Burris, 474-4338/ Basic Quilting, Corinne Remeika, 449-7574/ EZ2B Stitchers, Merril Winfield, 446-8676/ Modern Quilt, Margaret Muegenburg, 573-234-7313/ English Paper Piecing, Joan Westcott, 874-8160 / Mystery Quilt, Cecile Mazan, cemma-zan@gmail.com /Redwork, Myrna Powers, 445-0766 OR check directory for email addresses. * Indicates a closed group.

BTQG Annual Meeting is Saturday, June 6

Location: Fairview United Methodist Church at 3200 Chapel Hill Road with the doors opening at 8:30 am for registration.

Bring the officer ballot, proposed budget, and proposed bylaw change from this June newsletter.

Bring a finger-food to share, if you wish. BTQG will provide coffee, lemonade, and hot water for tea.



Agenda:

9:00 Business meeting to approve next year's budget and officers and consider a bylaw addition

10:30 Guest speaker, Judy Schwender, Curator for the National Quilt Museum in Paducah KY

11:25 Announcement of next year's officers and then lunch, catered by Jacks Gourmet.

See May's newsletter for the quiche choices if you have not already mailed your lunch reservation. Mail your \$10 lunch check and quiche choice by Wednesday, May 27, to BTQG, PO Box 542, Columbia, MO 65205-0542. (Do not include dues in this check.) Quiche will be served from chafing dishes to keep it warm. Lunch also includes tossed green salad, mixed fruit, lemon bar, and choice of coffee, water, or lemonade. You are welcome to bring your own lunch, of course.

Periodic drawings begin at 8:55 with 22 quilt books and 11 quilt-related patterns to choose from as a prize for 33 members. There is no charge to attend the annual meeting.

At available moments on either side of the business meeting, individual photos will be taken for insertion into the 2015-2016 Membership Directory and Handbook. We will also take photos during the July and August chapter meetings. Having your photo in the directory is voluntary, but many members have commented on how helpful the photos are in learning names. If you want last year's photo to be used again, just tell the photographer.

Sharon Lawler, Past CEO and chair of the annual meeting committee

Prairie Pine Quilt Guild Invitation



Prairie Pine Quilt Guild, Mexico, MO, is hosting a free lecture by Jane Speth-**Friday evening, June 26**, at 7:00 p.m. at the First Church of the Nazarene Family Life Center, 2726 South Clark Street (Business 54), Mexico, MO. We would enjoy having members of Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild join us for her lecture/trunk show, "Fabulous Nickel Borders". Jane Speth, the author of *Nickel Quilts* and *More Nickel Quilts* will focus on easy to piece borders that are made from 5" squares. Using 25-30 of her quilts she will walk viewers through her method of auditioning borders. This is not a slide show; you will be able to look at her quilts "up close". Please join us. For more information please call Jane Norman, (573) 581-5238 or Delana Becker, (573) 721-0780.

The Bonne Femme Quilt Book Group



The Bonne Femme Quilt Book Group will meet on Tuesday, June 18th at 1:00 pm at the Library. The June book selected for June is titled *THE HEALING QUILT* by

Wanda E. Brunstetter. Suggestions for future titles are welcome.

All guild members are welcome even if you have not had the opportunity to read the book.

For more information contact Bettina Havig.



Notes from the CEO

Annual Meeting

I hope you are planning to attend the guild's Annual Meeting on Saturday, June 6th, beginning at 9:00 A.M. at Fairview United Methodist Church. For those who may be new to the guild, the Annual Meeting is in lieu of the monthly chapter meetings and is when we elect officers for the next year and approve the annual budget. Within this newsletter you will find the proposed budget for 2015-2016 and a Bylaw change proposal.

This year, we are fortunate to have Judy Schwender, Curator for the National Quilt Museum located in Paducah, KY, as a guest speaker following the business portion of the meeting. I would like to give special thanks and appreciation to Past CEO Sharon Lawler and her committee, Judi Kirkpatrick, Joyce Campbell and Virginia Peterson, for their work in planning the Annual Meeting.



Nominations

Through sheer dogged determination, the Nomination Committee persevered and developed a fantastic slate of officers for the 2015-2016 guild year. The slate, which is presented elsewhere in this newsletter, is complete with six strong, pragmatic women who are passionate about our guild and we couldn't ask for more. I would like to recognize Mindy Smith, Judy Gieselman, Linda Karns and Carol Tummons for a job well done. Thank you!

Social Media

I am happy to report the Booneslick Trail Quilter's Guild Facebook page has 31 likes and the Friends of Booneslick Trail Quilter's Guild has 32 members in the first full month of operation. Barb Nixon has done a phenomenal job of keeping our Facebook page updated with upcoming meetings, speakers, workshops, etc. And, I see a few of our friends are starting to post comments. Yea!

The Board voted and approved to combine the Webmaster and Social Media committees in to one position titled Social Media. The chair of this committee will be responsible for website maintenance, eBlasts, and Facebook updates. In addition, Social Media will be a special/ad hoc ongoing committee versus a standing committee. This means the Social Media Chair will serve in this role for multiple years in order to provide continuity. The Social Media Chair is encouraged but not required to attend the monthly Board of Directors meeting.

Martha Eberhard, CEO

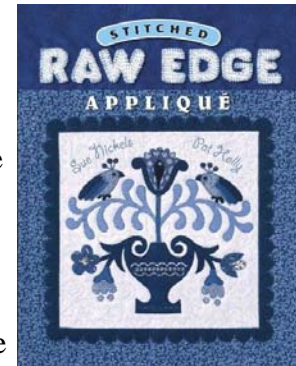
New Member Tea Party Wednesday June 3 at 5:30 pm

All new and existing members of the Guild are invited to tea on Wednesday, June 3rd at 5:30 pm. The event will be held at Quilt 4 U, 908 Rain Forest Pky, Suite 8. The purpose of the gathering is to acquaint new members with the variety of programs, workshops, interest groups, and the various offices and committees that continue to make the Guild a success after 37 years. This is a wonderful opportunity for new members to ask questions that they may not feel comfortable asking during regular meetings. The existing members will have a chance to connect with the Guild's new members and discover the new members interests in quilting and current quilting projects.



Quilt book donated to DBRL in memory of Angi Weithman

Angela Weithman was a friend to many during the years that she was a member of BTQG. She taught at Quilt 4 U these last two years and became a close friend to many who quilted there. She volunteered at Columbia Public Schools, mentoring elementary students who needed a nudge to learn more skills. She volunteered at Hospice Angels in Columbia. She made and donated quilts for the annual benefit auction at Girls' Town and was especially excited when one sold for \$600. She was an avid MU fan, especially enjoying the football games. Angi possessed a talent for blending colors expertly into remarkable quilt projects, sharing her home sewing space and her laughter with fellow quilters, and sharing her quilting expertise with beginners. She also possessed a talent for listening to and appreciating fellow quilters. She challenged herself to succeed at a variety of piecing techniques, but her favorites seemed to be landscape projects and raw edge applique. Stitched Raw Edge Applique by Sue Nichols and Pat Holly was purchased through donations in May from BTQG friends and donated to the Daniel Boone Regional Library. This book is available now for patrons of DBRL. Money that was collected above the price for the book was donated to BTQG's library funds (\$11) as per BTQG's Policy 4-e.



Sharon Lawler

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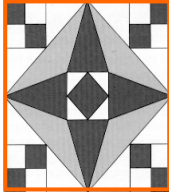
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Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild

2015 - 2016 Ballot for Election of the Board of Directors

Election of officers will be Saturday, June 6, 2015 at Fairview United Methodist Church, 3200 Chapel Hill Road, Columbia MO 65203 at 10:30 AM.

For those who will not be able to make the annual meeting, please mail your ballots to BTQG, PO BOX 542, Columbia MO 65202-0542. **Ballots must be received by June 5, 2014.**

Select one candidate for each office or write in the name of a Guild member who would like to serve in the respective position.

Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

_____ Mindy Smith

_____ Write-In Candidate

Vice-Chief Executive Officer

_____ Mavis Mitzel

_____ Write-In Candidate

Secretary

_____ Janet Sapp

_____ Write-In Candidate

Treasurer

_____ Carol Lewis

_____ Write-In Candidate

Day Chapter President

_____ Carol Tummons

_____ Write-In Candidate

Starlight Piecemakers President

_____ Dawn Heese

_____ Write-In Candidate

Bylaw changes to vote on during annual meeting

Changes to BTQG's bylaws must be approved by the general membership. At the annual meeting on Saturday, June 6, 2015, you will be voting on the following proposed changes to only Section 1 of Article 4. The proposed deletion has a line drawn through it and the proposed additions are printed in italics. See page 18-20 of your 2014-2015 Membership Directory and Handbook to read the rest of Article 4 of the bylaws.

Article 4: Board of Directors

Section 1:

1. The Board of Directors shall consist of an elected CEO, Vice-CEO, Secretary, Treasurer and chapter presidents. The elected officers along with the appointed chairpersons of standing committees, ad hoc committees, Chapter Presidents, Chapter Program Chairpersons, and the immediate past CEO shall constitute the Board of Directors. ~~Each member shall have one vote.~~ *Each board member has one vote on any motion made at a regular or special board meeting and must be present at that meeting in order to vote. The presiding officer may only vote when that vote will affect the result; that is, either to break a tie vote on a motion under consideration or to create a tie that will cause the motion under consideration to be rejected.*
2. *An electronic vote may be taken when at least two elected officers deem an issue so time sensitive that a special meeting cannot be called. Each board member may cast one vote within a specified time limit and must respond "to all" in order for their electronic vote to count. Board members may post comments before voting and within the specified time limits.*

Submitted by Sharon Lawler, as requested by the Board of Directors

Proposed Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild Budget 2015/2016

Membership Approval Required at the Annual Meeting, June 6th

Proposed Booneslick Trail Quilters Guild Budget - 2015/2016		
Operations	Income	Expense
Administration	\$0.00	\$500.00
Annual Meeting	\$750.00	\$1,950.00
Contingency	\$0.00	\$200.00
Funds Transferred	\$9,755.00	\$0.00
General Fundraising	\$0.00	\$0.00
Quilt Show	\$0.00	\$2,300.00
Library	\$0.00	\$150.00
Membership	\$4,500.00	\$0.00
Publications	\$75.00	\$2,000.00
Historian	\$0.00	\$30.00
Service Projects	\$0.00	\$100.00
Hospitality	\$0.00	\$50.00
Day Chapter		
Programs	\$0.00	\$3,500.00
Rent/Set up	\$825.00	\$1,925.00
Starlight Chapter		
Programs	\$0.00	\$3,500.00
Rent/Set up	\$0.00	\$1,100.00
Special Speaker & Workshop		
Special Speaker & Work-	\$1,800.00	\$2,400.00
Winter Retreat	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Misc. *		
State Farm Grant	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
Totals	\$29,705.00	\$29,705.00

The proposed BTQG Budget for 2015/2016 was submitted by the Budget Committee: Maria DeLamatre, Treasurer, Sally Russell, Starlight President and Louise Bequette, Day Chapter President. The budget was submitted to the Board of Directors for review and acceptance. A motion passed at the April 13, 2015 accepting the Budget 2015/2016 for a membership vote at the Annual Meeting, June 6, 2015.

Sixty Degrees of Separation Workshop

A 3-hour instructional workshop on working with 60-degree diamonds and piecing "Y-Seams"

Kelly Ashton, Instructor

Monday, July 6, 2015 9:00 am to 12 noon
Fairview United Methodist Church

\$22.50 for workshop



The Sixty Degrees of Separation Workshop will provide an introduction to working 60-degree diamonds and piecing set-in seams by machine. Kelly will guide you through the process: fabric preparation, cutting, machine piecing, and pressing including helpful tips for achieving the best possible results. A sampler table runner made out of 100% cotton fabric (no flannel) will be made. There are 20 slots for this workshop.

A supply list and pre-workshop instructions will be sent to you upon receipt of registration. Fat quarters in a mixture of light, medium, and dark will make this table runner a winner. A project set of acrylic templates will be available to purchase at the workshop for \$8.00 or use Marti Michell's G set, #44 + small 60 degree ruler, 2 x 6 inch or 3 x 9 inch. Your sewing machine and all the other goodies you require for your own sewing ease.

Applications are being accepted immediately. Please complete the following form and mail to the address shown or bring to one of the February Guild meetings.

Sixty Degrees of Separation Sampler Table Runner Workshop
Monday, July 6 9:00 am to noon. We ask that you arrive a before 9 so you can setup your machine and tools.

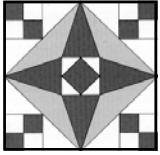
Name _____

Address: _____

Telephone Home: _____ Cell: _____

Cost: \$22.50 with check made out to BTQG plus acrylic templates at \$8.00 can be purchased at the workshop.

Mail: Louise Bequette
PO Box 8
Renick, MO 65278



P.O. Box 542
Columbia, MO 65205-



*Kind hearts are the gardens
Kind thoughts are the roots
Kind words are the blossoms
Kind deeds are the fruits*

*19th Century Rhyme
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Louise Bequette	June 2
Sharon Lawler	June 9
Trannie Elaine Keely	June 11
Linda Karns	June 15
Barbara Bauman	June 21
Dorothy Stout	June 25
Pat Wills	June 26
Carrie Henke	June 29
Susan Schwendinger	June 30



Starlight Piecemakers'
Chapter Meeting

No chapter meeting scheduled.

Please plan to attend the
Annual Meeting, June 6th



Day Chapter

No chapter meeting scheduled.

Please plan to attend the
Annual Meeting, June 6th



BTQG is on the Web

[HTTP://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG](http://BTQG.MISSOURI.ORG)

Our Meeting Place
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